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From the Daily Poſt-Boy, May 17.

Paris, May 18.

THE Adminiſtrators of the Chapter of Notre Dame, in conſideration of the late Cardinal de Noailles's great Humility, who ordered by his Will that no Oration ſhould be made at his Funeral, have publiſhed a Mandate, ordering Prayers and Maſſes to be ſaid for the Repoſe of the Soul of their late Metropolitan; the Preamble to which, tending to preſerve the Memory of ſome of their good Paſtor's Virtues, and to recommend them to others, may not be unacceptable to the Publick. It read thus:

THE Vicars-General of the Chapter, and Archdeacons of the Church of Paris, Adminiſtrators of the Abpk. during the Vacancy of the See; To the Archprieſts of St. Mary Magdalene and St. Severin, and to the Rural Deans of this Bpk. Greeting. 'Tis with the moſt piercing Grief, that we make known to you the Death of Lewis-Anthony, Cardinal de Noailes, our Abp. who during the Space of 34 Years that he governed this Dioceſe, ſhewed an indefatigable Care and Application in the Diſcharge of all the Duties of his Office; a Meekneſs and Patience that nothing could alter; ſo true and ſincere a Piety, ſo regular and uniform a Life, that his Example made Virtue amiable, and the Service of God delightful. The Poor found in him a tender and compaſſionate Father, whoſe unbounded Charity, Compaſſion and Benevolence, could not ſee any Object miſerable without relieving it, and whoſe Kindneſs to the Unfortunate was ſuch, that with a holy Exceſs he poured the moſt abundant Alms into their Boſoms. The Church of Paris will never forget, how this worthy Prieſt, full of Zeal for the Honour of God's Houſe, ſupported and repaired with an immenſe Liberality the Temple of his Cathedral, which was like to fall. Wholly intent upon healing the unhappy Diviſions under which his Dioceſe groaned, he did all that was in his Power to reſtore the Peace and Tranqullity of it, which were always the Object of his Wiſhes. So valuable a Life is finiſhed by a Death precious in the Sight of God; and being in his laſt Sickneſs abſtracted from all the Creatures, he ſeemed to have no Regard for any Thing but Acts of Piety and Religion, and ſuch as drew him nearer to God, with whom he ſo earneſtly deſired to be united.

But as great as the Confidence is, with which the Works and Virtues of our moſt Illuſtrious Abp. have filled us, thoſe who lead the beſt Lives are to be pitied, (as St. Auguſtine ſays) if God ſhould judge them without Mercy: Wherefore we conjure the Clergy and Laity of this Dioceſe, to pray for a Paſtor, whoſe Memory muſt be dear to them, and to remember him at the Altar, upon which he never ceaſed daily to offer up the holy Sacrifice, whereby the Hand-writing of Death, that was againſt us, might be blotted out.

For theſe Reaſons, and to diſcharge a Duty which Honour and Gratitude do ſo juſtly require at our Hands, we order you, *&c. &c.* Given at Paris under the Seal that we make uſe of during the Vacancy of the See, and ſigned by our ordinary Secretary, the 5th of May 1729.

Cl. Andry, Secretary.

Paris, May 21. Next Week Cardinal de Fleury will go to Soiſſons, with all the Plenipotentiaries. Count Kinski, Ambaſſador Extraordinary to this Court, is arrived here from Vienna, and is to ſet out for Compeigne, whence he will alſo go to Soiſſons.

London, May 17. Yeſternight it was rumoured at St. James's, that his Highneſs Prince William was to accompany his Majeſty to Hanover.

From the Country Journal, May 17.

Jamaica, March 2. Yeſterday arrived Mr. Garvey, who has a Licence to go into Carthagena with Negroes, He confirms the Accounts we had of two Ships belonging to Amſterdam being taken on the Coaſt of Cracus by two Spaniſh Men of War, one of 70, and the other of 60 Guns; and ſays, that

that they have likewiſe taken and carried into that Port a Dutch Ship of 24 Guns, a Sloop belonging to Curaſoa, and a ſmall French Veſſel, which were trading on their Coaſt; and that they were going in queſt of his Majeſty's Ship the Chatham and the Ships under her Convoy: But People here ſeem to be in no Pain about them, the Chatham being a Ship of 50 Guns, well man'd, and the Angleſea being ordered out to reinforce her.

The Aſſembly here, after having diſpatched the ſeveral Matters recommended to them by the Governor, is adjourned to the 25th. The Day before their Prorogation they took into Conſideration the Trouble and Expence which Mr. *Knight* was at in England in ſoliciting ſome Affairs of this Iſland, and *Nem. Con.* voted him Payment of the Money he diſburſed on that Occaſion, with Intereſt, and ordered the Speaker to return him the *Thanks* of their Houſe for his Services. This, I think, is a further Confutation to the *Factor* to the *S. S. Company*, who in his Pamphlet, intituled, *An Anſwer to a Calumny*, &c. roundly aſſerts that Mr. *Knight* had miſrepreſented the Iſland; that his Proceedings would be diſagreeable to the Gentlemen of *Jamaica*, and that therefore, after all this, he muſt no longer expect they can appear for him, approve his Conduct, or own his Sentiments: For certainly that *Vote*, which was without the leaſt Oppoſition, ſhews the Senſe of the People of this Iſland by their Repreſentatives, who doubtleſs are the beſt Judges of their own Intereſt; and the Honour they have done Mr. *Knight*, is a Demonſtration that his Conduct in *England* is approved of here.

Wye's Letter verbatim, London, May 20.

Since our laſt arrived the Mails from France and Flanders, and one from Holland.

YEſterday being the laſt Day of the Term, Mr. Woolſton moved in Arreſt of Judgment, but his Expectations were over-ruled, and the Court committed him to the King's Bench Priſon; and he is to receive Sentence next Term.

On Saturday laſt died the Rev. Dr. Samuel Clark, Rector of St. James's Weſtminſter: Amongſt the reſt of the Encomiums given him by ſome are, "That his Name will be had in everlaſting Remembrance for his pious Labours, in reviving the true Faith in Chriſt, from the Darkneſs and Corruption in which for ſo many Ages, even from the Apoſtles Days, it had been hid and concealed, not only from the Poor and Ignorant, but even from the beſt and wiſeſt Men amongſt all Sorts of Chriſtians."

Yeſterday the Grand Jury attending the Court of King's Bench, preſented the *London Journal* of the 26th April laſt, and Mr. Heyddegat for keeping Maſquerades. The Judgments given Yeſterday againſt John Clark, John Knell, Joſeph Carter and Amey Walker, convicted for printing and publiſhing *Miſt's Journal* of the 24th Auguſt laſt, being in all the Prints, we refer you thereto.

'Tis thought the Rev. Dr. Thyrwit, Rector of Kenſington, will be made Rector of St. James's, in Room of the deceaſt Dr. Clark; and according to Letters from Dublin, the Bp. of Kilmore or Derry, will be very ſoon tranſlated to the Abpk. of Dublin, in Room of Dr. King deceaſt, whoſe Corps was on the 10th Inſtant interred, according to his Deſire, at Domebrook, in a Tomb prepared for that Purpoſe. 'Tis remarked, that for 3 or 4 Days before, nothing had been hardly heard there but Lamentations for the Loſs of him, having been in the Opinion of all, the beſt Friend to that Nation that ever enjoyed ſuch a Dignity it. His Grace was 83 Years, 11 Days old.

In the other Article of the Proteſt mentioned our laſt, to be entred by the Lords *Scarſdale*, *Beaufort*, *Strafford*, *Gower*, &c. againſt the Paſſing of the Act to aſcertain the Cuſtoms on Corn imported: "They obſerve, whenever a Supply for the Civil Liſt is asked for in Parliament, it cauſed Uneaſineſs in the Nation, though demanded by the Crown itſelf, and upon Pretences, in their Opinion more unjuſtifiable and at Times leſs ſeaſonable than this, when notwithſtanding our moſt prevailing Methods, the Fate of Europe, as far as they are able to judge, is ſtill in Suſpence; and that they labour under Difficulties which unavoidably attend ſuch a doubtful and undetermined Situation of Affairs abroad, when the Complaints of the People at home are general and loud, and they fear too well founded, on Account of their great Poverty, with which they have been long afflicted."

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The Letters from Dublin a'd, that the Gentry, conſidering the miſerable State of the poor Weavers, are reſolved to wear only the Manufactures of that Kingdom.

His Majeſty and the Convoy paſſed by Harwich laſt Monday Morning. 'Tis believed his Majeſty's Abſence from this Kingdom will not be of any long Duration; and that the Affair touching the Inveſtiture will ſoon be finiſhed. The good Harmony betwixt the Emperor and the King of Great Britain is, according to Letters from Vienna juſt arrived, reſtored, and ſtrengthens more and more.

Our Advices from Spithead relate, that Sir Charles Wager and Admiral Hopſon continue there with 25 Men of War, and that diverſe more were expected from the Downs and Plymouth; and as the Wind is Eaſterly, 'tis Hourly expected we ſhall hear of their ſailing; but the above mention- \ccounts mention, that the ſaid Squadron is to in Line of Battle, it being generally be- t the Prince of Wales will go down to efore they put to Sea.

, *May* 20. Laſt Week died in Exeter Goal, Fairley the Printer, who was under Pro- for reprinting *Miſt's Journal* of the 24th uſt laſt.

From the Daily Poſt Boy, May 20.

Deal, May 18. Though moſt of his Majeſty's ips are ſailed for Spithead, yet thoſe that remain, continue to preſs all that come in their Way, therefore cannot be particular. Wind is now at South.

London, May 20. This Day Count Kinski, his Imperial Majeſty's Envoy, ſet out for Vienna.

From the London Evening-Poſt, May 20.

Hague, May 20. 'Tis confirmed from Compeigne that they *expected* to receive, before the End of this Month, the King of Spain's final Reſolution; and that aſſoon as it came, the Cardinal de Fleury would go from Compeigne to Soiſſons to complete the great Work of a general Peace.

They write from Bologna, That the Dutcheſs Dowager of Parma ſet out from thence for Loretto on the 2d Inſtant, and before ſhe went away, made a Preſent to the Princeſs Clementine Sobieski of a Bill of Exchange for 12000 Crowns, and gave her Second Son a Diamond of great Value to wear in his Hat.

London, May 20. Charles Cathcart, Eſq; Colonel of a Regiment of Foot in Ireland, and Groom of his Majeſty's Bedchamber, having reſigned his Place of Receiver General of his Majeſty's Rents ariſing by Caſualities in that Part of Great Britain call'd Scotland, is ſucceeded therein by John Campbell, Eſq; Lord Provoſt of the City of Edinburgh, to which Place there is a Salary annexed of 650 l. per annum to himſelf and Deputy.

Tomorrow the Rt. Hon. the Earl of Marchmont ſets out for Scotland.

From Dublin we have Accounts, that conſiderable Quantities of Clover-ſeed have of late been imported there; the Gentlemen of Ireland go more than ever into Agriculture and Improvements.

The Lords Juſtices have given their Orders, that a Liſt of the Half-pay Officers on the Iriſh Eſtabliſhment be laid before them, with the Dates of their Commiſſion, Time of Service, and where.

The Wind having continued fair ever ſince his Majeſty's Departure for Holland, we believe that his Majeſty landed in Holland ſome time on Saturday after Noon.

His Majeſty has been pleaſed to appoint the Rt. Hon. George Viſcount Torington, John Cockburn, Eſq; Sir John Norris, Sir Charles Wager, Sir Thomas Lyttleton, Sir William Yonge, and Archbald Hamilton, Eſq; (commonly call'd Lord Archbald Hamilton) to be Commiſſioners for executing the Office of Lord High Admiral of Great Britain and Ireland, &c.

On Saturday laſt, the Court of King's Bench at Weſtminſter, gave Judgment on the Four Perſons convicted of printing and publiſhing Miſt's Journal of the 24th of Auguſt laſt, viz.

John Clark the Preſsman, for printing and publiſhing, was ſentenced to ſtand in the Pillory three times, at Charing-croſs, Temple-bar and the Royal Exchange, and to ſuffer 12 Months Impriſonment.

Robert Knell the Compoſitor, for printing, to ſtand twice in the Pillory, at Charing-croſs and the Royal Exchange, and to ſuffer 6 Months Imprisonment.

Joſeph Carter, the Apprentice and Preſsman, to walk round the Four Courts in Weſtminſter-hall, with a Paper on his Forehead denoting h[illegible]

fence, and to ſuffer one Months Impriſonment.

Amy Walker, Miſt's Maid, for publiſhing the ſaid Paper, to be ſent to the Houſe of Correction, for 6 Months, there to be kept to hard Labour, and to be ſtript down to the Waiſt, and receive the Correction of the Houſe.

The ſame Day Mr. Woolſton was brought to the the King's Bench Bar to receive Sentence; the Argument offered in Arreſt of Judgment was over-ruled by the Court: But his Sentence was put off till next Term. Alſo,

The ſame Day Mr. Stephen Auſten, Bookſeller, was diſcharged from his Recognizance, for ſelling one of Mr. Woolſton's Books; it appearing he was no otherwiſe concerned in printing or publiſhing.

From the French Amſterdam Gazette, May 27.

Hague, May 27. Our Letters from Paris of the 23d have little remarkable. Thoſe from Spain ſay, that his Catholick Majeſty had fixed the 18th inſtant for his Departure from Seville for Granada. The Indulto was not then ſettled.

Rome, May 7. Saturday laſt the Princeſs Piombino went to ſee the Prince, eldeſt Son of the Chevalier de St. George; the Cardinals Corradini and Alberoni went thither alſo on the ſame Account, and had afterwards a particular Conference with the Chevalier de St. George.

Edinburgh, May 26. Saturday laſt before Noon his Grace the Duke of Queensberry went hence for London.

Laſt Week Harriſon's Regiment of Foot arrived at Preſtonpans, Muſſelburgh, Dalkeith and the Neighbourhood, there to remain till Orders.

One David Smart, Baxter in Muſſelburgh, was laſt Week taken up and committed, on the Information of ſome of the Soldiers of the above Corps, for ſaying *G-- curſe you and King George both.* He has been crazy for ſome time paſt.

Laſt Week a ſecond Cargo of Fiſh were brought to Town by Order of the Magiſtrates, and ſold as formerly. The Poor expreſs as great Satisfaction on their Arrival, as do the Spaniards on that of the Flotilla or Galleons.

The Lords of Juſticiary at Stirling, ſentenced laſt Week Mr. Buchanan of Balquhan to be baniſhed to ſome of his Majeſty's Plantations. He was brought to Town laſt Saturday, and committed to the City Tolbooth.

Tomorrow (being the 11th Day of the Moon) 'tis High Water at Leith at 10 o' Clock, 18 Minutes. On Wedneſday, at 11, 6 Min. On Thurſday, at 11, 54 Min.

Glaſgow, May 21. 1729.

Bear, from 08 00 00, to 09 10 00.
Meal, from 08 00 00, to 08 16 00.

Haddington, May 21, 1729.

Beſt Wheat,	10 12 00.	2d, 10 00 00.	3d, 09 16 00
Beſt Bear,	09 00 00.	2d, 08 14 00.	3d, 08 10 00
Beſt Oats,	08 00 00.	2d, 07 14 00.	3d, 07 10 00
Beſt Peaſe,	08 00 00.	2d, 07 16 00.	3d, 07 12 00

ADVERTISEMENTS.

¶†¶ Mr. *PRESTON*, Profeſſor of BOTANY, opens the Phyſick-Garden upon Thurſday the Twenty ninth inſtant; Then he begins his Leſſons of BOTANY, and continues during the Seaſon.

†‖† There are Two PARKS at Orrock, belonging to the Laird of Orrock, full grown, well water'd, ſheltered and fenced; to be opened the Beginning of June and lying near Kirkaldy and Kinghorn, and a Mile from iſland, at a Groat in 24 Hours. Enquire at John in Kirkaldy, Mr. Thomas Thomſon in Kinghorn, Mr. Thomas Hepburn in Burntiſland; or at the P[illegible] of Orrock.

¶¶¶ The *Bleaching Field of Cameron*, on Lochlowmond, carried on by DONALD GOVAN, Merchant in Glaſgow, is provided with a great many *Dutch Bletchers* fro. Holland, who are perfectly well ſkill'd, and have given ſufficient Proof in this Kingdom of their Experience in that Buſineſs. Mr. GOVAN is now taking in all Sorts of Linen-cloth, Cambricks, Dypers and Satinets, at Edinburgh; by *William Crooks* Merchant, at his Shop above the Guard, at Leith, by *David Ogilvie* Merchant; at Falkirk, by *Andrew Gaff* Merchant. All Sorts of Linen-cloth, &c. coarſe or fine, Yard-broad, at Four Pence the Yard, and proportionally for a greater or leſſer Breadth; and Satinets, at Twopence Halfpeny Half-yard broad. The Proprietors of the Cloth are deſired to give in to the Receivers, a Note of their Name and Deſignations, with the Contents of their Goods, and ſew in their Name at length in the one End of the Piece with ceaſe Thread made of Lint, and not with Silk; and in the other End, the Number of Yards it contains, in Figures, to prevent Miſtake in the Return. And 'tis deſired that no Piece may exceed Forty Yards. The Goods ſhall be delivered to the Proprietors, whitened, free of all Charges except the Prices of Whitening, at the Places where they were received, and that in two Months after Receipt, Weather ſerving. Cloth will be taken in at the above Places, from 7 in the Morning till 8 at Night each lawful Day, to the Firſt Week of July.

EDINBURGH: Printed For and By Mrs. *Thomas* and *Walter Ruddimans*. Sold at the Printing-houſe; and at Mr. *Alex. Symmers*'s Shop in the Parliament-Cloſe. At both which Places, *Advertiſements* and *Subſcriptions* are taken in.